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SUBJ: KHMER SITUATIONER

1. THE UNITED STATES AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE KHMER
REPUBLIC TODAY SIGNED TWO AID AGREEMENTS PROVIDING
AN ADDITIONAL 22.4 MILLION DOLLARS IN SUPPORT OF THE
KHMER ECONOMY.

2. THE FIRST OF THESE AGREEMENTS PROVIDES AN ADDITIONAL
17.3 MILLION DOLLARS FOR THE PURCHASE OF 50,000 TONS OF
RICE UNDER THE PL 480 PROGRAM. THE SECOND AGREEMENT MAKES
AVAILABLE 5.1 MILLION DOLLARS UNDER THE COMMODITY IMPORT PROGRAM.

3. US ASSISTANCE TO THE KHMER REPUBLIC IN FISCAL YEAR 1975
NOW TOTALS 38.1 MILLION DOLLARS. OF THIS TOTAL 33 MILLION
DOLLARS HAS BEEN EARMARKED FOR THE PURCHASE OF 100,000
TONS OF RICE AND 5.1 MILLION DOLLARS FOR THE COMMODITY
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IMPORT PROGRAM. IN ADDITION, A TOTAL OF 3.2 MILLION RIELS

HAS BEEN PROVIDED IN COUNTERPART FUNDS FOR HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE. IN FISCAL YEAR 1974 US ASSISTANCE TO THE KHMER REPUBLIC TOTALLED 277 MILLION DOLLARS.

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